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PEOPLE who read
the Sun are
always well posted

THE PADUCAH DAILY SUN.

PEOPLE will read
your ad if it
is in these columns

VOLUME II—NUMBER 120

PADUCAH, KENTUCKY, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1898.

TEN CENTS A WEEK

Horace R. Kelly's
Famous...

Corona
Cigar

At Soule's

A line of choice selections that
never displease. Drop in.

HANDINE

For Chapped Hands
and Face, Use

WINSTEAD'S
HANDINE

There is nothing to equal it.
Sold by all first-class
druggists.

Gold Fish

We have just received a new
shipment of gold fish in all sizes,
from 1 to 75c apiece. We have
only a few fine Japanese specials
left. Call and see them or tele-
phone 337.

J. D. BACON & CO

Druggists Gold Fish Agents

HIGHWAYMAN BLUFFED.

He Wanted Money—Lappers
and All.

It is told of Max Woods, the way-
ward youth arrested for attempted
highway robbery, that he held up
a well known and aged South Third
street saloon keeper a few nights ago.
"Here, old man," he demanded,
"give me what money you've got,
coupons and all." He presented an
old pistol at the venerable saloonier
to further his designs, but was de-
flected to a disappointment.

Well, sonny," coolly replied the
intended victim, "I guess you'll have
to use that thing."

Appendicitis Victim's Recovery.
L. Hagar, of the county, is recover-
ing from an operation for appendi-
citis. It was performed by Dr. B.
McKerrin, of Cincinnati, last
week, when he was here as a
guest in the circuit court.

John Vaughan, at Bardwell, upon
whom Dr. Stewart, of the city, oper-
ated a few days ago, is also recover-
ing.

The Home of the Friendless.

Those especially interested in the
House of the Friendless of this city
have secured Mr. Eugene H. Beck,
a friend of the Rescue Home of Omaha,
to deliver a lecture on re-
fuge work among fallen women, in
the Y. M. C. A. hall Thursday even-
ing, February 13, 1898, at 7:30.
The lecture is free to all, and all are
cordially invited to attend.

R. W. CHILDS.

MARDI GRAS AT NEW ORLEANS.

FEBRUARY 22, 1898.

For the above occasion the Illinois
Central Railroad company will sell
tickets, February 16 to 21 inclusive,
at one fare for the round trip, good
returning until March 5. The fast
through trains, carrying Pullman
palace sleeping cars,
J. T. DOWMAN,
Commercial Agent,
Paducah, Ky.

Signs of...

The Season

Cold, Rain, Snow,

Umbrellas, Coughs and
Overcoats, Colds.

These are signs of the season. They suggest the
need of a remedy. There is one remedy that does not
get tired. It is another sign of the season.

COMPOUND
COUGH SYRUP

It is the thing to have in the house. It is the thing to have in the house. It is the thing to have in the house.

M'PHERSON'S
DRUG STORE
FOURTH AND BROADWAY

ANOTHER ANXIOUS DAY

Passed by the Kentucky Colony
at Washington, and No Ple
Yet, and None in
Sight.

Catholic Petition to Monsignor
Martini to Prevent Pro-
testant and Catholic
Intermarriages.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The dele-
gation of Kentuckians who are here in
search of offices for themselves and
friends, spent another day of an-
xious waiting and all in vain. When
the plums will drop no one knows.

Big Lot of Emigrants.
The Buttrick had on her last trip
down thirty-six emigrants, twelve
head of cattle and eighteen horses,
en route from near Nashville to Oa-
cala, Florida. She had for Paducah,
not including the emigrants, forty-
three passengers.

Won't Cut Deliveries.
Washington, Feb. 2.—It was offi-
cially announced yesterday that the
determination reached by the postal
authorities to defer action looking to
a reduction of the mail deliveries in
the large cities of the east in order to
avoid a deficiency in the appropria-
tion, was in deference to the large
number of protests that had been
made by delegations of representative
citizens and members of congress.

A MONSTER PETITION

To Prevent Marriage of Catholics
and Protestants.
New York, Feb. 2.—It is said
here that a monster petition is being
gotten up by the Catholics to Mon-
signor Martini asking him to pre-
vent the marriage of Catholics and
Protestants.

A Big Fire.
Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 2.—The
Ministry block, the finest in this
city was completely destroyed today
by fire.

AN ELECTRIC TRAMWAY.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 2.—Pit-
sburg will make it easy for Klondike
to scale Chukot Pass. A Pittsburg
company has shipped to the Dyer
Klondike Transportation company a
load of machinery intended to
operate by electricity a wire rope
tramway from one end of the pass to
the other.

The power to keep the ropes run-
ning will be furnished by two motors,
one of fifteen and the other of thirty
horse power. The plant will be three
miles from the entrance to the pass.
Passengers and freight will be
carried over in baskets, shaped like
cars. The shipment is the first elec-
trical machinery to be sent into the
new gold field.

BLINDED BY THE SNOW.

Conductor Steps in Front of an
Engine and is Killed.
Parkersburg, W. Va., Feb. 2.—
W. L. Newton, for twenty years con-
ductor of a local train, running be-
tween this city and Gratton, was
instantly killed at Cornwalis. He
was blinded by snow while switching
and stepped in front of an engine.
He leaves a wife and family at Grat-
ton.

PLENTY OF GOLD THERE.

Miners Above Dawson Write That
They Are All Pleased with
Their Finds.
Portland, Ore., Feb. 2.—The lat-
est news received here from the Klon-
dike gold regions is very favorable to
the argonauts. It is said the gold
output in most of the new claims so
far worked above Dawson is more
than satisfactory. It is expected
that the returning miners next spring
and summer will bring some aston-
ishingly large bags and boxes of
treasure from the new Eldorado.

MARKETS.

Reported by the Daily Train to
Chicago, Feb. 2.—The markets
today ranged as follows:
May wheat opened at 95 1/2, touched
96 1/2 and closed at 95 3/4.
May corn—Opened 28 1/2, highest
28 3/4, closing at 28 1/2.
May oats—Opened 24, highest
24 1/2, closing at 23 1/2.
May pork—Opened 9.82, highest
10.10, closing at 10.07.
May lard—Opened 4.80, highest
4.90, closing at 4.80.
May ribs—Opened 4.85, highest
5.00, closing at 5.00.
May cotton—Opened 8.81, highest
8.82, closing at 8.79.

George Wilkes' Bones.
Lexington, Ky., Feb. 2.—The
bones of George Wilkes, the famous
travelling fire, have been given to the
A. and M. College, by William L.
Simmons. They will be mounted
and put in the natural science hall,
recently dedicated.

There cannot be anything made for
five cents better than the Linnwood
cigar. It is home enterprise.
Call for it.

DR. WILEY CONFIRMED.

The Senate Does the Act Today
The Associated Press Bill
Passed by the
House.

Democrats of Boyle County Want
ex-Gov. Brown to Make the
Race Again for
Governor.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 2.—The
Senate today confirmed Dr. Wiley
for superintendent of the Lexington
asylum by a vote of 18 to 13.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS BILL.

Passes the House at Frankfort
and Will Probably Pass the
Senate.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 2.—The
House today passed the Associated
Press Bill, which compels the Associ-
ated Press to sell its news reports to
any paper offering to buy them. This
is supposed to be in the interest of
the Louisville Dispatch, and will en-
able that paper to get the Associated
Press service which it wants. The
bill will undoubtedly pass the Senate
and become a law.

AFTER EX-GOV. BROWN.

Boyle County Democrats Want Him
To Run Again.

Danville, Ky., Feb. 2.—An im-
mense petition has been gotten up by
the farmers in this county, asking
ex-Governor Brown to make the race
for governor again. It is considered
here very probable that he will make
the race.

MONARCH'S ASSETS.

Nearly \$100,000 More Than the
Liabilities.

Owensboro, Ky., Feb. 2.—The R
Monarch schedule is as follows:
Total assets \$336,914.48. Liabil-
ities \$243,960.80.

FACTORY STARTS.

Settlement of the Long Glass
Strike in Indiana Held.

Anderson, Ind., Feb. 2.—The In-
diana Labor Commission has effected
a settlement for one year among the
1,000 workmen in the Elwood and
Kokomo plate glass plants and the
Pittsburg Glass Company.
In this city agreements were en-
tered into on wage and working reg-
ulations and articles drawn up cover-
ing a year. It will be filed in the
county courts here and at Kokomo,
and it will be regarded as a suc-
cessful year by either workmen or
employers.

The Elwood plant resumed yester-
day, with 600 men. Such an agree-
ment as entered into is a new feature
of up-to-date labor commission in-
tervention.

CHINN DOWN ON WATER.

Out. Jack Gives His Views on the
Kentucky's Christening.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 1.—Jack
Chinn, asked for his views as a Ken-
tuckian on the proposition to christen
the battle ship Kentucky with
water, gave the following answer:
"Never heard of anybody in Ken-
tucky christening anything but babies
with water, and as Kentucky is to be
a warship I thought she should be
died like the Kentucky when he
goes out to fight. Give her a good
dose of smooth old Kentucky 'De
Wrong' and start her with blood in
her eye and a chip on her shoulder.
I don't think a warship has much use
for water, except to float in. When
the average Kentuckian gets a dose
of old Bourbon aboard, and his eyes
begin to shine like a cat's in a hole,
he is ready to meet an army of wild
cats. I say, give the ship a shot.
Put her on the same footing as other
boats, start her to Cuba, and if she
is any kin to a Kentucky fighter she
will go through the Spanish navy like
Leonatus or Ban Fox del through a
field of sailing platters."

It might be better to break the
bottle over the prow of the ship after
letting the captain drink the liquor,
for there is more fight in a quart of
liquor than an ocean of water. Give
the Kentucky the right sort of state
and she will do honor to the state
whose name she bears. I'm down
on the water proposition."

Going on Snow Sled.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 2.—A party
of thirty-four from Stamford, Conn.
have arrived here, and have pur-
chased the abominable Moonlight
which they will sail next Thursday
for the mouth of the Copper River.
They have with them a snow sled,
with a twenty horse power engine.
The sled weighs about seven tons and
is propelled by a stern wheel fitted
with spokes to catch in the ice with
paddles for snow.

Dr. C. B. Henmark is in jail at
Nashville for grave robbery. He is
wanted in Rutherford county, but
has not been turned over to the
officers from that county, as he fears
a mob.

DR. BOYD WINS THE CASE.

The Medical Profession is Over-
joyed Over the Result of
the Test Case—First
Ever Decided.

A Victory for the Entire Medical
Profession.—Costs Fall
on Whelan's At-
torneys.

"We've been making history to-
day," smiled Dr. Frank Boyd last
night as a reporter entered his in-
firmary. "We doctors all feel happy,
we feel good, and we have a right to,
I think, for we've won a great vic-
tory."

The occasion of the doctor's ex-
ultance of good humor was the ver-
dict he had received a few hours be-
fore in the circuit court. The jury
in the suit of J. D. Whelan, of
Brooklyn, against Dr. Frank Boyd,
for \$10,000 damages, returned a
verdict in favor of the defendant, Dr.
Boyd.

The case is probably one
with which all well-informed people
of Paducah are familiar. Whelan
had a bullet lodged in his skull, and
last spring came over to the Boyd
infirmary to be exposed to the X-ray
and have it located and removed.
He was told then that the exposure
might result in a burn, but he sub-
mitted to the experiment. He was
burned, and for some time suffered
from the injury. This the defendant
admitted in his answer to the peti-
tion. He did not deny that the pa-
tient was burned, that his hand came
out on one side of his head and that
he suffered pain from it, but alleged
that the injury was not a result of
carelessness or incompetency, but of
something over which the physicians
had no control, and were in no wise
responsible for.

When the case came to trial last
week, the best of legal talent was
found on both sides. Major T. E.
Moore and Attorney R. T. Lightfoot
for the plaintiff, and Attorneys M.
W. Worren and W. D. Greer for the
defense. The number of witnesses
was not large, but the cross examina-
tions were unusually rigid. Among
the witnesses was Dr. B. Merrill
Ricketts, of Cincinnati, who was
made. Arguments began Monday,
and were concluded yesterday after-
noon by Major Moore. The jury was
out about half an hour, and they
brought in a verdict for the defend-
ant.

It is the first case of its kind to
be decided in the United States,"
said Dr. Boyd. "There are about
twenty cases similar to it now pend-
ing, but this is the first decision
reached. It is a precedent that will
be recognized and discussed all over
the country, and even all over the
world, I venture to say, by the
medical profession. It is bearing on
something entirely new—the applica-
tion of the X-ray in surgery, in
locating foreign bodies. Its impor-
tance to the profession cannot be
overestimated. The court has now
recognized this. We have simply
laid a foundation upon which a sub-
stantial structure may soon be erect-
ed."

It was the same way when chloro-
form was first used. Everybody
knew that if a person got too much
chloroform, when it is administered
for an operation, it may kill. When
it first came out, a number of suits
were brought against doctors in cases
where the patients died. The courts
soon recognized the utility of chloro-
form, however, and the value in sur-
gery, and refused to hold doctors re-
sponsible where due precautions were
used.

This decision is no doubt equally
as important to the members of the
profession as the once bearing on the
use of chloroform. It may be more
so, for the X-ray is destined to play
a prominent part in modern surgery.
It was not so much a personal vic-
tory as a victory for the entire pro-
fession. We had good lawyers on
both sides, and the right on our
side.

Judging from this verdict the pro-
fession cannot any more be held res-
ponsible in the application of X-rays
than in the administration of chloro-
form. Had the verdict been to the
contrary, and been sustained, the
effect on the profession would have
been hampered doctors in the use of
the X-ray. In fact it might have in-
timidated some of them to the extent
that they would not use the valuable
agency under any circumstances, and
many a patient might suffer as a re-
sult. When relief could be readily
found by an exposure to the
X-ray. It is inferred from the ver-
dict that a doctor does not have to
even warn a patient previous to ex-
posing him to the X-ray, although in
Dr. Boyd's case it was shown that
the patient was told he might be
burned.

Whelan was not seriously injured
and is now well entirely. It is un-
derstood that he has enough of the
case, and is ready to drop it. He
will have to pay the costs, or rather
his lawyers will, as they were on in-
dorsement for the costs. The amount
bond for the costs. The amount
may reach \$200. The great case was
one entirely satisfactory to the pro-
fession, and Dr. Boyd is being warm-
ly congratulated. He could have
prevented the suit by the payment of
about \$500, but chose to make a test

case out of it. It cost him about
\$500, but he is satisfied.

Carried to Eddyville.
Sheriff Stubbie and deputies
passed through the city yesterday
afternoon with four prisoners con-
victed at Hickman, en route to Ed-
dyville. They were: Clay Conner,
white, convicted of manslaughter,
goatskin, serve a sentence for eight
years. Charles Oles, white. Joe
Sama and Richard Barker, colored,
goatskin, ranging from two to five
years for housebreaking.

A ROUGH RIVER.

All the Smaller Boats Are
Land Up.

The wind was so strong on the
river today that the Cowling could
not leave for Metropolis in the fore-
noon. The transfer boat would not
venture to make her noon trip to
Brooklyn with the St. Louis train.
The ferry boat could not make her
trip the afternoon to Brooklyn. The
ferry came in about noon from
Evansville, but none of the smaller
craft could navigate.

EXTENSIVE IMPROVEMENTS

Being Made By the Paducah Mill
and Elevator Co.

A New Corn Shelter and an Eleva-
tor for Rapidly Loading
Cars.

The Paducah Mill and Elevator
Co., making improvements of a
most important nature so that when
completed the scope of their business
will be much enlarged. Among their
improvements is a corn shelter. It
is expected by the company that the
handling of corn in view of the vast
quantity grown in this section, will
be an important part of their
business, and for this reason they
have put a corn shelter that will
hold all the corn that they can pos-
sibly handle.

A new elevator is being put in,
one of special reference to a rapid
handling of grain and loading cars.
The elevator now being put in will
handle 100 bushels an hour. Large
silos will be erected on the second
floor for weighing grain just before
loading cars. Additional elevators
will be put in so that the mill will
have a grain handling capacity of
four or five cars per hour.

Improvements are being
their steam engine so that the
mill can run in high water after it
is not impossible to use their big
engine.

The success that the company has
achieved with its flour has been most
striking. The "Trade of Purchase"
has been recognized by all who have used
it, and by the grocers, whether they
buy it or not, to be as fine a flour
as sold in Paducah. In fact it is
hard to find a better flour is made.
Although their flour has been on the
market but a short time, a fine trade
has already been built up.

When the improvements now in
progress are completed, Messrs.
Cox and Puryear will be in a shape
to handle corn of wheat in as large or
small quantities as it can be
brought to the city.

L. C. will soon put in a shing-
ing company, and when that is
done cars can be loaded and unloaded
very quickly and easily.

STATION REWARD.

Fifty dollars in cash will be paid
on proof that we will not
entire line of ladies' misses
children's caps and jackets at
one-half price, and proving
we changed the mark on any
out, making room for such a
our stock being so large we have
led to make this out of ONE-
HALF PRICE ON ANY GAR-
MENT IN THE HOUSE. NO
RESERVE STOCK.

Remember these are old goods,
new, steadily up-to-date, and pur-
chased this season.
As a reminder the above one-half
price is only good for Thursday,
Friday and Saturday. Come quick
for good selection.

M. E. DIDDLE & WHITE,
J. J. Guthrie's old stand.

Small Blaze in Mayfield.
A fire broke out in T. H. Mohun-
g's restaurant yesterday morning
about 1:30 o'clock, and destroyed
all the contents, and almost com-
pletely the building. There was
loss insurance on the stock. Mr.
Mohung owned the building and
intended soon to build a brick house
there. There was a fine pressure of
water, and the fire soon went out
after the company turned on the
hose.—Mayfield Mirror.

We can fill your wants
for
ANYTHING
in the Drug line.
DU BOIS & CO.
A new line of
Trusses and Crutches
Just in.

Upholstery... AND AWNINGS

We are now prepared to do anything in the line of Upholstering
Repairing of Furniture and Awnings. We manufacture and make
over all kinds of Mattresses; cotton top, all cotton, moss, hair and box
mattresses. Odd sizes in mattresses made to order on short notice.
Telephone 396, and we will call and make estimates on your work.

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'Tis an Old Saying, but Still 'Tis True A Penny Saved is a Penny Made.

It has, and always will be, our aim to save our customers every cent we possibly can by selling
a good quality of boot and shoe at a small margin. Our line of men's
shoes can't be surpassed in the city.

See our Vici line—Hard to beat.
See our Green line—They are daisies.
See our Ox Blood line—Pretty as a peach.
See our Russia line—It feels good.
See our Kangaroo line—Soft and nice.
See our Cal line—You know what 'tis.
See our Box Cal line—Right in the ring.

In medium priced good we hold our own in Ladies' and Gentlemen's shoes. Customers we sold
goods to twenty years ago still hang on to us. We hold them by selling good goods and sticking up to
what we say. Come in to see us.

GEO. ROCK & SON, 321 BROADWAY.

CUT PRICES PREVAIL AT THE FAMOUS.

Prices that will tempt the most tightly closed
purse to open cheerfully.

\$1.50, \$1.00 and 75 cent

SHIRTS

Monarchs, Manhattans,
Anchors, Cosmopolitans, etc.,

Including all the leading
brands White and
Colored.

..Cut to 49c. Cash

A great closing out of odd lots

See the Window Display. It Will Pay You.

B. WEIL E & SON,

409-411 Broadway. 409-411 Broadway.

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Men's Fine Shoes Made to Order,
And my reputation in this line will be upheld. If others fail to
fit you I will guarantee to please you.
GEO. BERNHARD
Largest Retail Shoe House in Paducah.

SCIENTIFIC AND FIRST-CLASS
BLACKSMITHING
REPAIRING &
HORSESHOEING
All work guaranteed.
A. W. GREIF,
Court Street bet. 2d and 3d.

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paper hanging done in any part of the county by

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AND BICYCLE SUNDRIES.

Agent for the highest grades of Bicycles made. We are prepared to offer
Sears for \$5.50. Don't fail to see our \$4.00 Overlands and Hughes
best on the market, prettiest wheel made. Don't fail to see our line of
bells before buying. We are the only exclusive Bicycle house in the city.
complete repair shop. For riding school to those buying wheels from us.
Don't fail to call remember the place.

Paducah Cycle Works,

and 128 North Fifth street, near Palmer House.

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BOOK BINDER

A thoroughly equipped Book making Plant.
You need send nothing out of town.

Patent Flat-Opening Books

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YOU DRINK THE BEST
YOU CAN FIND IT AT THE

NEW RICHMOND HOUSE BAR
Mitchell Boreo, Proprietor

Selection of Wines, Liquors and Cigars
always on hand.

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Repairing Watches, Clocks,
Guns, Umbrellas,
Locks, Etc

Corner Ninth and Trimble, next door
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